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WILLIAM'S DESPOTIC TENDENCIES WILL MEET STERN RESISTANCE.

The Tariff Question Looming Up as a Dangerous Issue in German Politics—Strength of the Parties in the Reichstag—A Warning to Russia.

[Copyright by New York Associated Press.] BERLIN, April 12.-Immediately upon his return from Wiesbaden Emperor William will hold a series of prolonged conferences with the heads of the various departments. It is reported to be the determination of the Emperor to exercise a rigid personal scrutiny over every measure. Besides overloading himself with work he in the mean time threatens to paralyze ministerial work. None of the bills based on the decisions of the Labor Conference and prepared by Baron Von Berlepsch have yet received the final imperial sanction. The assent of the Bundesrath to the measures is doubtful. The federal governments do not share the Emperor's eager haste for reforms.

Beyond the pregnant fact that the Reichstag will be asked to grant a military credit of probably 800,000,000 marks, nothing is known of the government's programme. The Progressist press indulges in visions of a change in the tariff policy, a reduction of the duties on cereals and on articles absolutely necessary for the use of the people. It is not believed that the Emperor will entangle himself in the difficulties entailed by a revision of the tariffs, which would involve complete reforms in the whole financial and fiscal system of the Empire. Neither the Reichstag nor the Bundesrath

Neither the Reichstag ner the Bundesrath will ever assent to an extension of the imperial powers toward absolutism. Aiready the leading federal princes of the empire, incredulous of the Emperor's capacity and scared by his methods of governing, are trying to tone down his self-confidence. The governments of Bavaria, Würtemburg, and Saxony, which hold fourteen votes in the Bundesrath, will not cooperate in imperial measures unless the Emperor consults them more on the general lines of his policy.

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The Reichstag will meet with the various parties undetermined, awaiting the effect of the government programme before grouping themselves. The official record of the composition of the Reichstag, after the second ballots, is as follows: Conservatives, 72; Imperialists, 19; National Liberals, 43; Freisinnige, 67; Centrists, 107; Socialists, 35; Volks Partie, 10; Poles, 16; Guelphs, 11; Reichslanders, 10; Anti-Semites, 5, Dane, 1, and no party, 1.

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The Post announces that the Military bill will provide for a large increase of troops. The announcement agrees with the opinion held in official circles that the Emperor will abide by a strong foreign policy. The Posther Lloyd in an official communication alluding to the concentration of 150,000 Russian troops on the Austrian frontier, says itrejoices in the formal renewal of the triple alliance and warns Russia that the allied powers will not much longer submit to continued provocation.

CONGRATULATING STANLEY.

Seven Senators Send Him Greeting by Graphophonic Messages.

This afternoon seven Senators—Hawley, Squire, Allison, Hale, Gray, Gibson, and Manderson—sent congratulations and complimentary messages to Henry M. Stanley, through Col. Geauraud, Edison's European partner. The messages were spoken in the phonograph, and will be repeated to Stanley at a dinner to be given him by Col. Geauraud on his arrival in Paris. Peculiarly enough it happens that four of the Senators—Manderson, Hawley, Squire, and Gibson—are personally acquainted with the great explorer.

Col. Geauraud, by request of President Harrison, reproduced at the White House to-day in the presence of the President, Mr. Andrew Carnegie, Mr. William Garrison, and Private Secretary Halford, Mr. Gladstone's message recently sent to New York.

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col. Geauraud sails for London Wednesday next, after having secured a consolidation of the phonograph and graphophone interests in Europe, which have heretofore been antagonistic.

They Fear the McKinley Bill.

Berlin, April 12.—There is much agitation here growing out of the fear that the McKinley Tariff Administrative bill, should it become a law, would have a serious effect upon the business of exporting to the United States. This fear is not confined to Berlin, but is also agitating Paris circles.

Unraveling the Sistare Pirm's Tangle New York, April 12.—Mr. Davison, assignee

NEW YORK, April 12.—Mr. Davison, assignee for George K. Sistare's Sons, said to-day his statement would not be ready for some time. Experts are at work on the New York, Philadelphia, and Detroit books of the firm.

The Reward of Virtue.

A package containing \$638 was found in one of the Fourteenth street cars on Tuesday by the conductor. He promptly turned it in at the office on Boundary street, and the grateful owner sent him a one-dollar bill the next morning.

A Good Showing—Equitable C. B. Association.

The Equitable, in annonncing the opening of a new issue of stock, (the nineteenth,) takes occasion to give some figures, showing what has actually been accomplished by this association as a coöperative saving and loaning institution. It furnishes indisputable evidence that it has successfully aided its membership in saving, in the aggregate, a large sum of money, upon which safe and sure profits have been realized; and, also, that hundreds have paid, and are successfully paying for their homes. This association is not only a benefit to its shareholders, by causing them to become thrifty and economic people, but it has a widespread, healthy influence upon real values and the best business interests throughout the city and Dis-

The Equitable is in its eleventh year, and considering the excellent results secured it cannot be termed an experiment, but, on the contrary, a practical, positive success, a credit to the city of Washington, the shareholders, and officers.

-As a cure and preventive for spring fever drink R. Portner Brewing Co.'s beer.

JEALOUSY LEADS TO MURDER.
Fatal Affray Between Boys on the Penn-

Pennsylvania avenue Bridge received its baptism of blood on Friday night, when Charles Thompson stabbed Murray Casseen, who died early Saturday morning at his home, a small shanty on Fourteenth street southeast. The participants were hardly more than boys. Jealousy was the cause of the fracas. Casseen, who was the aggressor, became mad with jealousy on seeing Thompson escorting an acquaintance, a girl named Ada Young, and with three companions assaulted Thompson. The latter drew a penknife which had a blade about 2½ inches long, and it was with this the cutting was done. Casseen was stabbed twice in the back and slightly cut in the left leg. The wounded man walked a mile to the office of Dr. Parker, Eighth and E streets southeast, where his wounds were dressed.

When he went home from the doctor's office he fainted from loss of blood. He died about 2 o'clock. Casseen was about nineteen years of age, while Thompson is but eighteen. Thompson was arrested yesterday morning. Last night the police arrested Charles Bradshaw, Joseph Burch, and Charles Posey and locked them up as accessories to the murder. The coroner will hold an inquest to-day at the Fifth Precinct Station.

FEAR CONQUERS THE CZAR.

He May Consent to a Parliament in Order to Save His Own Life.

Berlin, April 12.—Court advices from St. Petersburg are that the movement in favor of a constitution finds adherents in the Czar's circle. The Grand Duke Vladimir, the Czar's brother, induced less by liberalism than by fears of a revolution, heads a ministerial section that is urging the Czar to create a parliament consisting of representatives of the nobility elected by the Zemtsvos, with a limited number of delegates elected by towns. The Czar's repugnance to a parliament is reported as giving way, under the belief that the establishment of a parliament would put an end to the attempts on his life.

The Review of the Troops.

The review of the regulars stationed in Washington, the Marine Corps and District Militia, held at the White Lot in honor of the Pan-Americans Friday was a great success. About 4:30 P M. the division was ordered to move in review by Col. Gibson and for half an hour the troops marched past President Harrison, who was the reviewing officer; Secretaries Blaine, Proctor and Rusk, Attorney General Miller, Postmaster General Wansmaker, and Gen. Schofield. The troops flarched from Secondarith street to fifteenth street and thence to Pennsylvania avenue and Four-and-a-half street, hemmed in on all sides by a large and admiring throng of citizens who rauged themselves in solid banks along the sidewalks. A feature of the parade was the appearance of the High School Battalion, which did admirably and was heartily cheered all along the line.

The Cable Cars Running.

Yesterday was a red-letter day for Seventh street, as it saw the formal opening of the cable car system on that great business thoroughfare. At noon four trains of three cars each were started on the inaugural trip. They were loaded down with officers and directors of the road and invited guests. The trip was in every way a success. The cars continued to run all the afternoon, crowded with curious people who wanted to enjoy the sensation of a ride on a cable car. Every one seemed to like the new style of propulsion.

Yale-Harvard Athletics.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., April 12.—A mass meeting of the students of Yale was held this afternoon, and the reported failure to agree by the committee on athletics of Yale and Harvard was discussed. Gill said that as Yale wishes to play Princeton again next fall, two foot-ball games with Harvard, as is asked by Harvard, will be an impracticability. Yale's committee will confer with Harvard's committee soon, with the instructions from the University that they insist on all the original points.

Emmett on Another Spree.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—J. K. Emmett reappeared at the Continental Hotel this morning, but not as mysteriously as he had disappeared on the day before. The comedian had driven out to the Gentlemen's Driving Park, joined some convivial spirits, and spent the rest of the day in enjoyment. Falling to appear at the Opera House last night, Manager Zimmerman kept the house closed this afternoon and evening.

A Regiment of Indians.

Secretary Proctor has submitted a proposition to the Interior Department to enlist 1,000 Indians into the regular Army. It is proposed to officer the regiment with West Point graduates and fill the subordinate positions with pupils from Eastern schools for Indians.

Dr. Leonard Attacks the Catholics.
OSWEGO, N. Y., April 12.—Dr. A. B. Leonard,
who once ran for Prohibition Governor of Ohio,
at the missionary anniversary last evening, denounced the alleged attempts of political control of Roman Catholic churches in America.
He said no member of that Church could ever
fill the Presidential chair.

Stanley Calls on Wales.

London, April 12.—Henry M. Stanley reached Cannes to-day. He was received upon his arrival by Sir William MacKinnon, chairman of the Emin relief committee. Mr. Stanley subsequently called upon the Prince of Wales. A despatch from Cannes states that Stanley has declined King Leopold's invitation to attend the Anti-Slavery Congress.

German in Five Weeks.

Two new classes begin to-morrow by Professor Haupt. Attendance at either 9:30 A. M. or 6:15 P. M. George E. Fell, M. D., writes: "To him who would know German an hour in Hanpt's class is worth more than a month's stay in Germany." Investigation cordially invited the first days of this week. These are probably the last classes ere 1893. Lincoln Hall. Entrance, Ninth street.

—No headache after drinking R. Portner Brewing Co.'s Vienna Cabinet and Culmbacher Beers,

BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

MR, RANDALL HOVERING ON THE BRINK OF ETERNITY.

His Death Expected at Any Moment—The Afflicted Family Called to His Bedside by a Bad Sinking Spell Early Last Evening—How the Day and Night Were Spent

Representative Randall still kept up his brave fight against death up to an early hour this morning. Only his wonderful will-power and strong desire to live have kept him alive since early yesterday morning, when the grief-stricken watchers about his bed thought that the end had come. So near death was the distinguished patient at this time that Dr. Mallon said afterwards that it was only by close scrutiny could the faint respirations of the sick man be detected at all. Towards dawn Mr. Randall rallied, but all day yesterday he continued to hover between life and death. At any moment, the physician said, the end might come. Among the callers at the house to inquire after Mr. Randall were Secretary Blaine and Postmaster General Wanamaker. An inquiry also came from the President.

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At 8 o'clock last night when Dr. Mallan entered the patient's room he found him in great pain apparently and breathing heavily. With some difficulty the doctor relieved Mr. Randall of a large quantity of phlegm which was clogging his wind pipe. This gave temporary relief, but soon after the patient grew weaker. He had two sinking spells that alarmed his family very much. The members gathered about his bed expecting death at any moment. Postmaster General Wanamaker called shortly after with the intention of remaining all night at the Randall resi-

As faithful as the family are the newspaper men watching outside in cabs for any change for the worse. Many of them have been keeping watch for the past three nights, only relinquishing their posts when the hour of 5 in the morning is reached.

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At 3 o'clock this morning there was no change in Mr. Randall's condition.

A BANQUET TO MR. WARNER. Handsomely Entertained by the Directors

of the Columbia Bank. Last evening Mr. B. H. Warner was tendered a banquet at Willard's by the board of direc-tors of the Columbia National Bank. Plates were laid for Ally . The " ole "ps in the form bank of moss, garnished with large bunches of Marechal Niel roses and a huge palm rising from the centre. The menu was of the finest. Before sitting down to the repast Mr. Warner was presented with a handsome silver tea set, Col. Parker making the presentation speech, to which Mr. Warner responded in a few wellchosen words, thanking the board of directors for this mark of esteem and friendship. Numerous speeches were made during the repast. Col. Britton, vice president of the bank, was pasted several times and responded. The following gentlemen were present as guests of the directors: Hon. John W. Thompson, E. Kurtz Johnson, T. H. Comp, E. S. Parker, Justice Harlan, Hon. Perry Willard, Theo. Noyes, and P. J. Bell. Those who proposed toasts or made speeches were Col. Britton, Col. Parker, John W. Thompson, E. Kurtz Johnson, Col. Truesdale, Perry Willard, E. S. Parker, Charles Bell, O. G. Staples, T. H. Comp, and Theo. Noyes. At 12 sharp the festivities were brought to a close.

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Last Wednesday the employés of the Columbia National Bank presented Mr. Warner with a handsome set of books, "Half Hours with the Best Authors," in appreciation of his once more assuming the responsibility of president. Mr. Gray, of the bank, made the presentation speech, to which Mr. Warner responded feel-

On Friday evening still another presentation was made to Mr. Warner by depositors of the bank. A committee representing the depositors, called at Mr. Warner's residence and presented him with a beautiful marble bust of Apollo.

PERSONALS.

Mr. W. H. Patterson, son of ex-Senator Patterson, who has many warm friends in Washington, having been in the patent business here for some time, is now located in Bloomington, Ill. He has connected himself with the street railway interests of Bloomington, and is secretary and general manager of the Bloomington City Railway.

Mr. William A. Hungerford, who for nine years has been connected with the firm of Woodward & Lothrop, has severed his connection with that firm to accept a position with Mr. William H. McKnew. For years Mr. Hungerford has written the clever advertisements of Woodward & Lothrop for the daily papers. He has a large circle of friends, who will wish him abundant success in his new venture.

The grip claimed another victim on Friday evening, when Maj. Philip C. Hungerford died from the effects of an attack of the disease in February. Deceased was a Virginian by birth, and served as a major general in the Confederate army. He has for the past six years been in business in Washington as a commercial broker. He leaves three sons, J. Harry, William A., and Philip C. Hungerford, Jr., and four daughters. He was a member of St. John's Lodge of Masons and treasurer of the Virginia Democratic Association.

Aweary of the World.

Mary Burch, a well-known resident of the Division, last night attempted to take her life. She was suffering from the effects of drink and mourned the absence of her particular friend, Mr. James Rooney, who is at the work-house. So Mary took a large dose of Rough on Rats. Dr. Ellyson, of the Emergency Hospital, was called in, and by use of the stomach pump saved her life.

Schaefer and Slosson Cross Cues.

Chicago, April 12.—The attraction at Central Hall to-night was the game between Schaefer and Slosson. The following is the score: Schaefer—0, 0, 41, 2, 0, 0, 0, 36, 117, 20, 79, 38, 0, 15, 85, 56, 2—500. Slosson—37, 2, 27, 11, 1, 21, 27, 79, 1, 45, 1, 18, 4, 1, 0—279.

-Ring up 788-6 and order a case of R. Portner Brewing Co.'s Cabinet Beer. The best in the market.

SENATOR STANFORD CRITICISED.
Callis P. Huntington Charges Him with

Mixing Politics in Business.

San Francisco, Cal., April 12.—C. P. Hunt-

ington, in the course of an interview last night concerning his address made when he assumed the office of president of the Southern Pacific, said: "I did not think that what I said would create so much feeling as it appears to have done. I do not want the public to think I am opposed to Senator Stanford's political success, or that I bear him any personal hostility. Our only differences have arisen from his mixing the company up with politics. This company was organized to build and operate railroads, and there has been a good deal too much attention paid to politics. I have been very much opposed to this thing, and have told Stanford so. About four months ago, when he was in New York, I made a decided protest. I expected to at once sever the Southern Pacific from all others in this State as a corporation." Continuing, President Huntington said there would be no change in the policy of the company, aside from the one announced in his address.

KILLED IN A COURT ROOM.

An Officer Shot by a Man Who Had Insulted

SAVANNAH, GA., April 12.—J. H. Baldwin was to-day fined \$2 for pushing a colored woman off the sidewalk. As he was leaving the court-room he made an insulting remark to the judge. Police Officer Massey was sent to bring him back. Baldwin shot Massey twice, inflicting fatal wounds, and turned his weapon upon Marshal Houston whom he also shot. Houston's wound is not fatal. Officer Wilcher at this juncture reached up and grappled with Baldwin. In the struggle the latter was shot in the thigh. He was finally overpowered. Baldwin's reputation has been good.

THE SAMOAN TREATY RATIFIED. The Final Protocol Signed in Berlin Vester-

day Afternoon.

Berlin, April 12.—At 3 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Phelps, the United States Minister; Sir E. B. Malet, the British Ambassador, and Marshal Von Nieberstein, German Imperial Foreign Secretary, met at the Foreign office, and each deposited a formal ratification of the Samoan treaty and signed the final protocol.

The Late W. W. Warden.

Mr. William W. Warden, for many years a resident of Washington, died at Providence Hospital, after a lingering illness, in his seventieth year. The remains were sent to Cinclurati for interizent. They were accompanied by his son, Mr. Cliff Warden, the well-known newspaper man and superintendent of the Press Gallery of the Senate, and other members of the family. Mr. Warden was born at Pardstown, Ky., in 1821, his family removing to Cincinnati about eight years afterward. At twenty years of age he became Deputy Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas. During the war Mr. Warden came to this city, and became correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer, Baltimore Sun, Boston Post, and several other leading journals. A warm personal regard sprang up between him and President Johnson, to whom he became confidential private secretary. Later Mr. Warden took up the practice of law. He had a very wide circle of warm friends, by whom his death is deeply deplored.

The Georgetown Alumni.

The Society of Alumni of Georgetown University will hold its tenth annual reunion at the venerable college in West Washington next Tuesday afternoon. The exercises to which the public is invited will begin at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Henry C. Walsh, of Lippincott's Magazine, will read the poem and Mr. T. A. Lambert, of this city, will deliver the oration. The society will then hold its business meeting and adjourn to the dining hall, where toasts will be responded to by Bishop Keane and other eloquent speakers.

The Turf.

GUTTENBERG, N. J., April 12.—The winter racing of the Hudson County Jockey Club ended here to-day in a cloud of dust. The track was very fast. First race—Foxhall first, Biscuit second. Second race—Rancocas first, Defendant second. Third race—Pericles first, He second. Fourth race—Salisbury first, Iago second. Fifth race—Little Jim first, Hamlet second. Sixth race—Sorrento first, Theora second. Seventh race—Pontico first, Count

Don't Want Professionals.

Boston, April 12.—The board of managers of the Amateur Athletic Union took up the case of Bailey, who is entered by the Sedenham Swimming Club, of Providence, and rejected his entry. They refused to accept Malcolm Ford's entry, and reported that he be barred from Union games until he disproves the charges of professionalism.

Lively Row in a Church.

JOLIET, ILL., April 12.—Last night at anelection of officers in the First Baptist Church a disgraceful row occurred over a resolution to sustain the pastor against some charges that had been brought against him. Brothers fought brothers and the language was violent and in many cases vile.

A Battle Between Hogs and Cattle.
Columbus, Ohio, April 12.—Near this city yesterday a lot of hogs set upon a heifer and a young calf and devouredthem. In an adjoining pasture a herd of cattle became infuriated at the smell of blood and broke down the fence and charged upon the hogs, killing ten of them and wounding many more.

Raising that Second Five Millions Chicago, April 12.—The first meeting of the board of directors of the World's Fair was held this afternoon. A special committee of five was appointed for the purpose of considering ways and means for securing the second five millions of guarantee fund.

The Emperors to Meet.

Berlin, April 12.—Arrangements have been made for a meeting between Emperor William and Emperor Francis Joseph during the military manœuvics in Silesia. King Humbert and Emperor William will meet at Berlin in the autumn.

—Spring styles are now ready for inspection.

SNYDER & WOOD,
Merchant Tailors,

423 Eleventh street northwest.

A CORNER IN PORK.

IT CREATES THE LIVELIEST KIND OF A TIME IN CHICAGO.

Prices Sent Kiting Four Dollars a Barrel in a Few Hours—Exciting Scenes Attending the Transaction—The Originators of the Corner Give Up.

CHICAGO, April 12.-When trade opened in pork to-day the wildest excitement prevailed, the crowd waking up to the fact that the market was cornered. For some mouths past the Sawyer-Wallace clique, of New York, it is generally supposed, have been buying up pork, and when business started in this morning there was not any pork for sale under \$12.75. As the closing price yesterday was \$11.45, this was a mighty big bulge, but there was "worse and more of it" later. It kept advancing five cents or more at a time, and before the close of the first hour was selling at \$15.25. As is usually the case when prices are booming at that rate, very little was sold, but there was tremendous excitement and the pit was crowded with the traders and spectators. July pork showed a similar advance, and lard and ribs were somewhat higher. McCormick & Co., the representatives of the New York clique, were again prominent as buyers of July pork, and Armour, Hutchinson, Poole, and Baldwin were also buyers. Later in the morning Hutchinson's men bid \$15.75 for July pork, which was an advance of more than \$4 per barrel over last night's closing prices. It \$4 per barrel over last night's closing prices. It was apparent the clique was after some big shorts, most of the orders coming from New York to Hutchinson. As no regular pork can be made until October, the clique has control of July pork was offered at \$12.55, and it looked as though some big shorts had run in, for the offerings were numerous and there were no bids. It was said that one house called margins for \$500,000 on provisions. A good many of the board, however, attributed the squeeze to Armour. They say that the Sawyer-Wallace clique transferred the deal to him when they found they were unable to carry it through and that his is now the master hand. Hatley & Swift were large buyers of lard, and Armour bought ribs, while T. J. Ryan & Co. bought 4,000,000 pounds of May and July ribs.

THE COUNT GOES TO JAIL.

Miss Virginia Knox's Noble Italian Husband in Court.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 12.—Giuseppe Carusi, known as the Count di Monterole, was released from prison to-day, and immediately rearrested on a charge of criminal libel made against him by Frederick Bausman, of Pittsburg, on behalf of his niece, Virginia Knox, the Count's wife. At the hearing the Countess was not present, it being stated that she was prostrated on account of the villainous attack on her character. The prisoner was held in \$2,000 bail to answer court. As he could not furnish security he was taken to prison.

Their Last Soiree.

Mlle. Karm Pyk has fortunately been engaged to sing at the last soiree by the Washington Musical Club next Saturday evening at the Universalist Church. She is the best exponent of the songs that are so popular and well known to musicians as Norwegian, for she sings her native airs to perfection, and the club—Messrs. Xander, Miersch, Rakeman, and Morsell—have given proof of their desire to uphold the best music and delight the most critical audiences that congregate in the city. These young gentlemen have given concerts equal to any by visiting organizations, and deserve the support that home talent and the best musical programmes should receive.

Smash-Up On An Electric Road.
TACOMA, WASH., April 12.—Yesterday a serious accident occurred on the Eleventh-street electric road. A car became unmanageable, leaped from the track, and plunged into a gravel bed a block away. Half a dozen people were painfully injured.

Whitelaw Reid Sets Sail. New York, April 12.—Hon. Whitelaw Reid,

United States Minister to France, was kindly remembered by numerous friends prior to his departure for Paris to-day on the French line steamship La Bretagne. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, while a stream of visitors constantly passed through the stateroom.

Death of an Old Employe. Mr. William W. Nalley, who was one of the

best known employés in the bindery at the Government Printing Office, died suddenly tonight at 7 P. M. He was the beloved son of Capt. William H. Nalley, who for a long period conducted a bindery at Ninth and E streets northwest.

Herty Wins the Pedestrian Contest.
PITTSBURG, April 12.—The international walking match closed to-night. The winner received several thousand dollars. The score was: Herty, 553 miles 14 laps; Moore, 530 miles 9 laps; Hughes, 520 miles 4 laps; Noremac, 501 miles; Howarth, 478 miles 13 laps; Horan, 476 miles 7 laps.

Representative Wise Unseated. In the contested election case of Waddillagainst Wise, the member from Richmond, Va., the House yesterday declared Wise's seat vacant and Waddill entitled to it, by a vote of

A Great Blizzard in Dakota.

ABERDEEN, S. D., April 12,—A terrific wind from the northeast is carrying off large quantities of surface soil from newly-planted wheat fields, and grave fears are entertained for the wheat crop in this section.

The Weather-For the District of Columbia, Delaware, Mary-

For the District of Columbia, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia, fair; warmer, except stationary temperature in western portion of Virginia; cooler Monday; southeasterly winds.

Thermometer readings yesterday; 8 A. M., 48; 8 P. M., 68; mean temperature, 57; maximum, 78; minimum, 36; mean relative humidity, 56.

Summary for April: Mean temperature, 53; average precipitation, 2 85 inches; highest temperature, 90, occurred in 1872, lowest temperature, 32, occurred in 1875.